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Responsive to the action mailed June 21, 2004, applicant elects the invention of Group III drawn to a method of separating soybean into different components. The election is made without traverse.

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